GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3787
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MANUFACTURING OF HMT TRACTORS
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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) the profit and loss of Hindustan Machine Tools (H.M.T. Tractor Division) during the last three years, year-wise;

(b) the number of tractors alongwith H.P. manufactured and cost of manufacturing during the last three years, year-wise and till date;

(c) whether any action plan has been prepared to increase the production of tractors;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the staff/employees have been retrenched due to heavy losses in H.M.T. Tractor Division; and

(f) if so, the details thereof and the measures taken/to be taken to protect the interest of the workers?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

(a) The profit & loss of Hindustan Machine Tools (H.M.T. Tractor Division) for the last three years are as under:-

(Rupees in lakhs)

	2001-02	2000-01	1999-2000
Net profit	185	527	791

(b) Numbers and approximate cost of manufacturing of tractors of various capacity, manufactured in past 3 years is as under:-

Model H.P.	2001-02		2000-01		1999-2000	
	No.	Cost	No.	Cost	No.	Cost
2522	25	1067 Approx. 1.65 to 3.40 (Rs. in lakh)	1410	Approx. 1.55 to 3.10 (Rs.in lakh)	2513	Approx. 1.50 to 2.30 (Rs. in lakh)
3022	30	146	533		1213	
3522	35	5660	7328		8253	
4511	45	213	930		1410	
4922	49	1216	292		-	
5911	58	1450	2901		2946	
7511	75	48	65		-	
Total		9800	13459		16335	

(c) &(d): Yes, the Company has planned to increase the production of tractors to 14,000 tractors during 2002-03.

(e) & (f): Does not arise in view of answer `a` above.